Dear Sirs,

I am opposed to the NAB's petition 04-160 regarding local content on satellite radio. I do not understand why the NAB should be allowed to use government regulation to quash competitors. There is no public interest reason to forbid satellite radio providers the option to provide localized programming such as traffic and weather services, other than to protect the NAB members from free-market competition. Please reject this petition and allow the public to choose the best option.

Sincerely,

David Young